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--N. Meade Layne, National Director.

ABOARD A FLYING SAUCER
by Truman Bethurum
(from Pub. or from BSR Hdqrs)

Lo Vorss & Co. 516 W. Ninth St.
Los Angeles 15, Calif. 1954.
192 pgs. - \$3.00 -

A review copy of this book has just been received and we withhold other CQC material in order to give it immediate attention:

The publisher's note on the jacket gives sufficient idea of the general make-up of the book. It contains "an exact account of the author's experience with the Admiral Scow, a 'flying saucer ... describes it in great detail and gives valuable information regarding means of propulsion. During his eleven visits with the woman Captain of the scow he discussed many things with her, such as the location and name of their home planet and their way of life..."

A BSR representative, Mr. Julius Becker, was among the first to interview Mr. Bethurum after his story became known, and we published a summary of it. We accepted it as factual at the time, and subsequent events along with this newly published book bear out that opinion. It should be read carefully by all BSR Associates interested in the problem of the aeroforms.

Like all publications in this field, it should also be read critically - and in saying this I do not detract from the book or the author's achievement. The book impresses one as being completely honest and keeps well within its proper scope. By 'reading critically' I mean that these limitations should be kept in mind. The first of these is, that Mr. Bethurum, although an expert heavy-equipment mechanic, has no scientific training and was unable to formulate many questions which (it seems likely) would have been answered by the woman Captain. Again, altho highly skilled and responsible, he lacked academic background and the terminology of many borderland subjects. Another adverse condition was the scepticism, bordering on persecution, which he encountered - and he conducted himself admirably under very difficult circumstances. The story runs straight and convincingly, but we must not expect too much of it.

We now come to a very important point: according to the woman Captain herself (Aura Rhanes) this was a kind of tourist party, or interplanetary Cook's tour. "Our only purpose in landing" (says she) "is for our own education, to relax a bit and replenish our atmosphere tanks, since when we travel our scow is sealed tight" .. They are interested observers, quite pessimistic about our future but not disposed to interfere in it. They admire our planet and the impressive spectacle of the Atlantic fleets on manoeuvres, shake their heads regretfully over human conduct, and remark that the only water on our deserts will be that of human tears. They pass out casual hints about scientific matters, which may or may not be helpful to us later on. Captain Aura Rhanes makes a fine appearance, both physically and mentally, and her black-and-red beret covered a head evidently full of what Ambrose Bierce called 'incommunicable news'. Thus the nature of this party and their business here should be kept in mind by Hopeful-Reader; if he does not expect too much he may learn a great deal.

In this connection I point out how closely this fits in with the Rolf Telano communications, offered in brochure form by the BSRA. The R.T. communicators, however, described themselves as incarnate humans living in etheric regions; while Capt. Aura Rhanes and her faithful crew are apparently born, bred, and very long-lived Etherians - which is the point I shall next refer to. Also, this whole Bethurum story conforms to our repeated statement, that the aeroforms are very varied in character, places of origin, motives and purposes, and to sum up the situation is like trying to make a ten-line report on the planet Earth, including all continents, races, and civilizations.

It is now of great importance, to BSR Associates and everybody else, to point out the relationship between the 4-D (or Etheric) explanation of the aeroforms, and such happenings as are described in Bethurum's book. The 4-D interpretation was first given us in 1946, by the M.P. Controls, and has proved adequate for all subsequent phenomena - certainly a rigid test for any hypothesis. But of course it is not adequate for people who do not understand the explanation, or will not examine events in the light of it.

For example, at least one misunderstanding critic has remarked publicly: 'The Disc is right here, isn't it? You can see it, feel it, can't you? How can it be a vapor or a gas or an ether - when it's solid and substantial'...? etc. Of course, the 4-D interpretation never proposed such nonsense, or denied the substantiality of the materialized forms on our plane or on any other. But no matter how painful the effort may be, one simply has to grasp something of the nature of the ethers, and admit a few gleams of elementary metaphysics as well.

The thousands of sightings of mutants or indescripts (changeable forms and colors) are as important as the emergence of a fully materialized Disc. Many of these are attendant on the passage of a Disc thru the atmosphere - but the Disc itself is usually invisible. It exists, however - but partially or not at all on our plane of perception. That is to say, the mutants are signs of invisible but material objects - that is, of objects made of etheric substance.

Let us look at a few passages from Mr. Bethurum's book:

"The before I could turn and say goodbye to her the door had closed silently. Without fanfare or sound, the saucer disappeared in the rising sunlight, just like a vaporized pearl ... I'm sure it never did whirl. In that split second before it disappeared I could see there were no propellers, vents, wings...Quicker than you could bat an eye it had disappeared and left not even a vapor trail." (pg 47)

" I stayed aboard the saucer for about half an hour ... No sooner had I stepped on the ground than the ship was gone" (pg 60)

"I saw them " (Etherians in the cafe) " only a step from the door before I turned to pay my check. When I turned back they were gone. I rushed outside and there stood Whitey ... I yelped, 'They're not in sight. Where did they go?' He shrugged and looked at me helplessly. 'They never came out' he said. 'Not a blessed soul passed through that door until you came out'. " (pg.93,f)

"What then?" I asked. "What would you do if my people attacked you and your ship?"

- "If your people should be so foolish as to attack us or our ship, we would simply stop them, that's all."

"But how?"

- "They would simply disappear."

"How do you mean, they would disappear?" I asked.

- "This is too difficult a thing to explain to you, but I can give you a minute demonstration. Have you got some small thing with you which you do not value much?"

I pulled my plastic covered flashlight out of my pocket and said, "How about this?"

She looked at it and said, "That will do nicely, for I see that it hasn't much metal in it. Hold it lightly in your hand ... no, no, don't clutch it. Just let lay on the palm of your hand. There ..."

Standing in the doorway of the Clarion Admiral's scow, facing out into the desert night, we stood, she beside me, looking at the flashlight lying on my

palm, and I staring down at her, and then at the flashlight. Not a word was said, but suddenly my hand was empty.

I stared at my empty palm. I stared at Captain Aura Rhanes. Then I stammered, "It's ... gone."

Aura nodded solemnly. "Yes, it's gone forever"

"F-forever ..." My lips were too dry to say the word aloud ..."

(pg 106 f).

To repeat - these quotations show, to quote Captain Aura Rhanes, that "there is such a thing as teleportation" - that in dealing with the aeroforms and with the people who use them, we deal with phenomena of the etheric world - that is, with matter of such enormous density that it cannot be perceived by our senses. We deal with people who have learned how to control the vibratory rate of such substance. Phenomena long familiar in the seance room (and much derided elsewhere) - "mat and demat", teleportation, apportionation - are of the order of cosmic principles, indisputable as gravity, radiation, cohesion...

The dematerialization of a Disc may not be quite instantaneous - it may take time to bat your eye, as Bethurum says. But a 300 ft. metal Disc, 30 ft. in thickness, does not disappear from a resting position in a single second, merely by speed of withdrawal. It converts to a vibration rate invisible to us. Five or six people go out of a cafe door - or rather, go to it from inside, and then vanish. How? Well, I think they're still 'there' - only now you can't see them.

In the PROCEEDINGS of the Congress of Radionics (Lon. May 1950) we find an unusual statement several times repeated: "It appears that the ether is about to be reinstated as a physical entity". It will help some of our physicists to swallow this pill if they continue to talk about "space" and "magnetic fields". It is true that there is no such thing as "empty space" - and that no one knows what a magnetic field may be - and that Bertrand Russell summed up the situation - "An electron is a wave of probability with nothing to wave in" - but we mention them here only as reminders of a few trifling shadows before the face of Reality. But perhaps, since flashlights can be whiffed off into the Neant by a thought or a hard look, this term Reality may come to equate with Mind or Consciousness .

To return to our main thesis - the essential correctness of the 4-D or Etheric interpretation of the aeroforms - we ask all BSR Associates to keep this thesis as basic in their minds, and to read all accounts of physical phenomena with careful attention to its application. But to close with Captain Aura again - and a Chinese cook: "If you made an attacker disappear" asked Mr. Bethurum, "would he disappear forever - as you said about the flashlight? And to where. Doesn't that mean he would die?"

She tossed back her head and laughed. "We never kill anybody. Our enemies fall and disappear. Then we go away. They may then rise and go about their business - if they have done no real damage. There is such a thing as teleportation ... But I am speaking about matters foreign to your comprehension..." (pg 118)

And when Aura Rhanes wrote a note in Chinese, in reply to one in French - and Mr. Bethurum took it to the Chinese cook, the latter was much agitated. "No can read. No come from here, come from up there" - pointing toward the ceiling. The book gives both the Chinese characters and the translation:

"Chinese women hold their husbands with love -

If not, they put them in chains."

(Meade Layne

Important last-minute note from Delawarr Laboratories, Oxford, Eng.

"We have been able to materialize energy particles in a controlled magnetic field and would agree that the materialization of "saucers" at certain positions in the earth's magnetic field is entirely possible." (IMPORTANT). 3-29-54

Quoting Dr. George Hunt Williamson

who is doing a series of interesting articles for Pelley's VALOR, there's a paragraph in the March 20th issue with which YD (your BSR Director) heartily agrees:

"Space people on earth today cannot be placed in any single category, for they come apparently from many, many different places. Some come from our neighbors in our own solar system. Others come from distant systems and even galaxies. Some have been born on this planet through process of incarnation. Others are here because they have recently gotten off space craft and taken up residence among us . . ."

The point we 'heartily agree with' is that the aeroforms and 'space people' are not all of one place, or race, or (by implication) personal intents and attitude.

Let us not forget certain very reasonable warnings, that we should NOT infer that the moral and ethical ideas of the space people are like our own. The welfare of the solar system may be more important to them than the fortunes of Terra.

That a space craft made of matter familiar to us, or resembling such substance, can operate from earth to moon or for comparable distances, does not imply that distances measurable in light years can be traversed by such craft - or by ships of any substance known to us.

The Hunrath and Wilkinson case: These two young men, both deeply interested in the aeroforms and the etheric people, took off from Gardena, Calif. last November, without filing a flight plan, and have not been heard from since. Inquiry of the Mark Probert Controls brought only the statement (from the Rajah NATCHA) that the plane had crashed - plus a promise to try for more information. The Rajah did not think the Etherians had any hand in the matter.

THE ROUNDHOUSE, which now prints as its 'motto' the line "Damnant Quod Non Intelligunt" is a very newsy 5-page publication, by Neal Kearney, RR #3, Maquoketa, Iowa; no price stated.

METAPHYSICIAN'S NEWS LETTER paragraph topics for March 6 issue include: Consciousness without brain -- Federal curb on claims of hypnotists -- Brain not a 'thinking machine' -- Science supporting survival -- Royal Medical Society and astral projection -- Science and the thinking process -- Parapsychology on the radio -- Yogi in a bottle - et cet. (these topic sentences have been condensed. ml). The M.N.L. can be obtained at 1734 Candler Bldg., Atlanta 3, Georgia. No price stated. Recommended.

Underground Races: Assoc. Victor C. Johnston writes: I am still very interested in in this subject, and my publication, The Thought Record, should be going to press this month if everything goes on schedule. I would appreciate your publishing my name and address, with the statement that I would like to contact all persons interested in the underground races." Address Assoc. VCJ at PO Box 6031, Oklahoma City 11, Okla.

From Assoc. Edw. S. Schultz - whose "hunches" seem to get more and more accurate:

"One of these bomb tests may trigger off terrific storms - or far worse. That is, the possibility and probability of triggering an unearthly upheaval, explosion or chain reaction in some big atom laboratory with one of the ever bigger and bigger nuclear accelerators. Seven varieties of hell may cut loose in an instant. One subsequent danger is that, as and when it happens, they may blame some other nation for starting an atom war or sabotage and this might initiate retaliation - if anything or anyone is left to retaliate. (My full signature for future sceptics herewith...) "

FLYING SAUCERS: Official Publication of the Civilian Saucer Investigation. P.O. Box 1914, Auckland, New Zealand. No.3 Vol. 1, Dec. '53 is particularly good. About 20 pgs. The CSI President is H.H. Fulton, who sends greetings and good wishes to all BSR Associates, and invites cooperation and exchange of publications, with us and with other responsible groups. (No price stated). Recommended. ml.

PRECONDITIONING? Author Desmond Leslie sends us the most horrid thought of the year:

"The houseflies which haunt a Hertfordshire rubbish dump have baffled the scientists. They have developed a high resistance to the latest insecticide before ever being attacked with it. After assaults with other insecticides the flies became almost immune to such killers as DDT. So the scientists prepared a surprise attack with dieldrin, a new chemical from America. Somehow the Hertfordshire flies seem to have anticipated it. They proved 266 times more resistant to dieldrin than ordinary houseflies." (Press clip, England).

ASSOC. H.B. DIRKS of Evanston, Ill., writes: "The small cardboard and razor blade worked for me in Lincoln, Nebr. - but not here at home. I next tried pyramids of sheet metal, sheet copper, and sheet zinc. No better. If and when I find out why, I'll write you - provided the lid hasn't blown off our so-called civilization meanwhile . . .". (Assoc. Dirks adds: Congratulations on RR ix-5, which was really super . . .").

ASSOC. Gustave H. Rasch (Bremen, Germany) quotes from Zeitschrift fur Radiesthesie (published in Munich): parts of a treatise by Dr. A. Wendler, a pioneer investigator in radiesthesia - who says:

One of the sides has to face north and the angle of the sides should equal the angle of inclination "phi" of the geographical latitude of the locality. Any rod placed at this angle would have a plus and minus polarity. The pyramid with one side facing north has the plus polarity at the bottom - which is felt by sensitives as "odic coolness". This responsible for the 'anti-spoiling' effect. Out thru the top negative polarity resp. energy is ejected. If the pyramid is turned so that one corner faces north, the polarity is changed, especially at the top. The pyramid if placed on a turning plate and a needle put through its top, would act as a small odic alternating current dynamo of the simplest manner." (How about putting hundreds of these together? asks Mr. Rasch).

Another writer in the same issue states that Dr. Wendler (just quoted), that "after 30 years of study of rods and pendules, has laid an unshakeable foundation in exact mathematical science, for "Odphysik". He was able to do so by inventing certain instruments which allow objective observation and eliminate the subjective pendulum used so far."

If the last statement above proves rigidly correct, the discovery is obviously of great importance... The price of this German publication is about \$2.00 per year (6 issues). For address write Assoc. Gustave Rasch, P.O. Box 572, Holler Allee 8, Bremen, Ger. (ML)

DR. H.E. ROY, whom we referred to in last CQC (B-5), formerly at Ben Lomond, Calif., now at 446 Fulton St., Brooklyn 1, N.Y. - writes about the healing effects of cones. Suffering from rhinitis and a coryza, he "went to bed with the applicator over the upper half of my face. In half an hour the nose was clear and another half hour cleared the eyes. Positive results. Similar effects could fill up the page .. I put the cone applicator under my pillow every night and am wondering how much it has to do with my feeling of general well-being at age 64." Dr. Roy also reports specific personal help from HUNA operations. Unless or until his mail gets too heavy, we understand that Dr. Roy will give further details about his use of the cones, on request, to other experimenters. The pyramids (he says) do not seem to produce the same results. (He uses three cones, wired together from the tips).

THE SEARCH FOR REALITY: (Dr. W.F.G. Swann).

. . . . No longer does the engineer seek to understand his electrical problems through mechanical ones, but when he gets a mechanical problem the first thing he does is to seek the electrical analogue and think in terms of that. And so this concept, reality, is indeed like a chameleon, changing its color to harmonize with the setting of its time. Ah! reality, what an elusive thing it is, and how its search has tormented mankind from time immemorial. Reality, that will-o'-the-wisp of philosophy. You may think you have it in your hand but find you have merely the shadow of something else. You will pursue that something else; you will clutch it, and again it will feel real, until you find that your consciousness of its touch is no more than the tingle of your own blood as your hands clasp upon it. Reality is the most alluring of all courtesans, for she makes herself what you would have her at the moment; but she is no rock upon which to anchor your soul, for her substance is of the stuff of shadows; she has no existence outside your own dreams . . . The concept one is willing to accept into his category of thinking and to regard as natural, change with the epoch . . .

(from Engineering and Pure Science. Pub. # 4114, U.S. Govt. Printing Office Washington 1953).

(Dr. Swann is a distinguished scientist and author; it is interesting to note his use of almost the same verbiage as the Probert trance Controls, his agreement with their philosophy and with the general position of both Oriental and Western idealism).

THE DIVINATION OF DISEASE - A Study in Radiesthesia, by Henry Tomlinson. "The author is one of the leading authorities on radiesthesia and in this book he explains the principles of this new method of diagnosis and treatment. In addition there is much valuable information respecting organ remedies, viruses, bacterial infections etc."

Y.D. (your Director) has not read this book but has heard it highly recommended. Order from Markham House Press, Ltd., 31 King's Road, London, S.W. 3. \$2.80.

Columba Krebs (whom readers will remember in connection with the 'white flame phenomenon') wants us to advise the Associates that she has formed the Symbolart Company, "to sell colorful reproductions in three different sizes (\$3.50 to \$5.50) of 68 symbolic paintings, portraying the inner angles of psychology and metaphysics." She has exhibited in four galleries and four art clubs, and lectured with colored slides before many organizations in different States. The pictures are ready for hanging and carry an explanation of meaning on the back. For details and orders, write to Assoc. Columba Krebs, at 55 Glenwood Ave., East Orange, N.J.

Pyramid Note
Assoc. H.B.Dirks.

"I am beginning to get better results with the pyramid and razor blade by putting a piece of plate glass under the pyramid. You might have one of your friends who is psychic enough to use the aurameter test different kinds of glass under the pyramid and see if this changes the force field in any way. My psychic ability seems nil as I don't even get to first base with the pendulum. . ."

Pyramids: by
Assoc. L.C.Glover.

I want to report that I made a pyramid and put my Schick under it Nov. 16, '53, and obtained uniformly good results out of it daily up to March 10, '54. I now have it under a small pyramid with the handle projecting through a cut on one of the sides. It has been there now for eight days, and I plan to try it soon, just to see if 'recuperation' is also one of the aspects... If you have any compiled information on this subject I shall be glad to get it ... in fact in getting the whole matter from its inception"

(next page)

We have has several requests for a compilation of data on pyramid effects, but have been unable to meet them. The subject is a curious one, belongs in the general field of radiesthesia, has research possibilities and probably commercial applications. Assoc. Glover, quoted above, is somewhat interested in this last aspect, and we especially hope that various experimenters will write to him and to each other. CQC and/or Round Robin will print reports, but we are so crowded with office work that it is impossible to take up the matter as a project, or collate and print material of any length.

Assoc. Dirks' address is 2108 Grant St. Evanston, Ill. Assoc. L.L. Glover is at 1335 - 10th Ave. So. St. Petersburg, Fla. Assoc. Rolf Telano can be reached in care of BSR Hdqrs. - and mail addressed to any Associate in our care will be forwarded.

CQC has noted heretofore the claims of certain investigators, that the 'pyramid effects' could be obtained, in part at least, by using a skeleton pyramid made by stringing threads from the corners of the base to the top of a 'center pole'. Assoc. E.S. Schultz promptly suggested that that the threads simply helped the mind to form and visualize a pattern - that is, to create a pyramid in etheric matter, as a thought form. The effects themselves are certainly on an etheric or subatomic level, and it is perfectly good metaphysics to suppose that it is the ether-form which is operative. . . In this connection I refer again to the curious claim by the Rev. Verne L. Cameron, that mental concentration on an (imagined, visualized) object, increased the density, or enhanced the 'magnetic field' of the object - and that this increase was plainly shown by the Aurameter. . . Let us remember that an increase of density of an etheric object, or of a tangible object by addition of etheric matter, will NOT be registered by our scales. But the aurameter or the pendule, in some of its many forms, might very well record it.

It is into such subtleties as these that the seemingly trivial phenomena of the pyramid effects reach out. If we could show undeniably, by instruments and objectively, that (say) an imagined and visualized brick could be made to increase in density, or to change its radiation or 'field' by concentrating on it, the result might be a notable contact between scientific and metaphysical ways of thinking. But no instrument of molecular construction will show subatomic and etheric pressures and densities unless the operator himself is "in circuit."

DYNAMIC DIAMONDS: Assoc. Ralph M. Holland sends us an advance item, to appear later in his "Voice from the Gallery".

Ye Ed. cannot vouch for the effectiveness of the following fragment of ancient of ancient wisdom, but it is in line with the Vitic experiments conducted by several B.S.R. Associates. In these a piece of carbon was held in one hand and an Alnico magnet in the other. Several believed they secured very beneficial results.

"Among the very ancient peoples, diamonds, zircons, and similar jewels were not prized merely because they were scarce. They believed that carbon had the power to strengthen and revitalize the heart, nerves, and other organs - and these were the purest form of carbon available. A man could give his beloved no greater gift, because along with it he was giving the priceless treasure of health and vitality. The emanations of the carbon had to be "drawn in" with a magnetic counterpoise on the opposite side of the body, such as a magnetized bracelet or anklet... Both the gem (carbon) and the magnet should be in direct contact with the flesh ..."

(There's a quite a long story about this, told in the BSR booklet called VITIC published several years ago. We think it's important material, but there's only five copies left (@ \$1.00) and unless we can get at least fifty orders it will not be practicable to reprint. Eighteen pages of info. not available elsewhere.

(Just to give Assoc. RMH the last word about this - he remarks that the distaff side of our membership would endorse this research if it involves wearing a few pounds of diamonds!! (ML)

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THE ETHERIC OR "4-D" INTERPRETATION
OF THE AEROFORMS

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The Bulletin entitled "For Information Of The Public And The Sake Of The Record" was issued in February, 1953, and the "Addendum" to it followed in November of that year. The principal purpose of the Addendum was to develop the concept of the Aeroforms as "Emergents".

It is important to note that the etheric nature of the space-craft and their description as Emergents, do NOT conflict with the material nature of the landed Discs, or with the fact that some type of propulsion is used when within the earth's atmosphere and gravitational field. As will appear on further study, NO contradiction is involved on this point.

A highly condensed single-page Bulletin was also issued in November of 1953 - for the convenience of hurried readers!

At this present writing (March, 1954) there seems no reason to seriously modify any part of these former Bulletins. Many events have taken place and their tempo is accelerating, but all seems to fit into the same general interpretation. But as is to be expected, this over-all picture is steadily expanding. It seems to us, therefore, that the time has come for an explicit statement of a fact hitherto only hinted at.

This statement is on the face of it so fantastic that very few will give it serious consideration. Yet it is time to put it on record, since its essential correctness will eventually be recognized.

The Aeroforms are, as repeatedly argued, constructed of etheric matter. Etheric matter is extremely dense and is therefore intangible and invisible. It becomes tangible and visible when its vibratory rates are converted (i.e., lowered). It is subject to the play of subtle energies, including the energy of thought. The Aeroforms are thought-constructs, or mind-constructs. As such, they are in effect the 'vehicle' or actual body of the Entity who creates them. Just as our own minds really make our bodies, and become identified with them, and govern them - so does the Etherian make himself (far more easily and quickly) a vehicle or body out of etheric substance. This body may be of any shape and size - any one of the hundreds of the mutants - the indefinite and changing shapes reported by observers throughout the world. It may be a wheel, a globe, a cigar-shape, a fireball, a vapor; and it may have any density, any vibration rate desired. The impenetrable steel of a landed Disc is 'etheric steel'. These shapes and vehicles and the Etherian operator are one being - just as truly as a human being is a psycho-physical mind-body unity.

The body of the Etherian is a thought-form, which can go anywhere, be placed anywhere, and penetrates our earth and sea as easily as our air.

I close this page by merely mentioning (prematurely?) one more basic but all-important fact. The present world crisis, and the possible world struggle, has its roots deep in the "inner planes", on astral and low-etheric levels. Anyone who thinks that metaphysical and occult factors have no significance, is illiterate in those matters. But those factors can be dealt with, if we understand what they are and will cooperate with each other.

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GEOGRAPHER POSES 'COSMIC ERUPTIONS'

("Killed" by N.Y.
Times; 11-22-53)

-- Finnish Professor says World is in Midst of Troubles that
Come Every 2,000 Years. --

Helsinki, Finland. - November 18, 1953.- (North American Newspaper Alliance). --

Because of cosmic eruptions through which we are passing, the world's available humus is shrinking, and there will be serious difficulties in growing enough food to prevent large-scale famines. This is the opinion of Professor Vaino Auer of Helsinki University, one of the world's leading authorities in geography.

Professor Auer, 58, has just returned from seven years of research work in Patagonia, at the extreme tip of South America. He was engaged there in comparing climatic variations and the distribution of different soil types with similar conditions in northern Europe. Some of his work was done on behalf of the Rockefeller Foundation.

Professor Auer said that, in collaboration with Yale University, he has established without much doubt that, since 12,000 B.C., the world has experienced six cosmic eruptions. Two of those were in the late glacial period, and four in the post-glacial period.

The present eruption is comparable to those past eruptions that caused the extinction of the Tertiary period monsters; the flooding of the lands that today lie at the bottom of the North Sea; or, 2,000 years ago, brought about starvation and the resulting mass migration of the peoples of Asia.

Causes Not Explained. According to Professor Auer, these eruptions take place at almost regular intervals of 2,000 years and are marked by drastic changes in animal and plant life, as well as by long periods of drought, the rising of sea level and the receding of forests. The cause of these eruptions has not been explained.

In Professor Auer's view the best period enjoyed by our planet was before a violent eruption that occurred at about 2300 B.C. Up to that time forests and plants advanced everywhere, the climate was mild and pleasant and plants that today can only be found in Central Europe then thrived in the Arctic. The human race also seemed prosperous, and had spread to areas that today are no longer habitable.

The eruption that took place 2,000 years ago caused the advancing of the steppes in Asia and brought about the great migration of peoples westward on the Eurasian land mass. Occidental historians say that migration put the clock back, as far as development of human race was concerned, by at least 500 years.

Now we are living in a period of a similar forceful eruption. The most remarkable phenomenon connected with it is a disturbance in the cycle of elements, causing animals and plants to die out.

About one thousand animal species have died out or are near extinction, according to a recent United Nations report. But what is most alarming is the disappearance of bacteria, which is causing the recession of forests, death of plants and the erosion of humus.

In Chile, for instance, large forests with trees a hundred or more feet high are dying out, and all attempts at replanting them have been of no avail. New trees will no longer grow and the forest area is being turned into barren plains. In other places in the Southern Hemisphere the inroads made by the plains upon forests and cultivated lands have been so rapid that they actually could be photographed.

-- Credit Assoc. Margaret Whyte, 612 South 5th St., Goshen, Indiana. (April, 1954).

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An Appeal to
the People

is the heading of a 1-page article by G.W. Van Tassel, in the current PROCEEDINGS of the College of Universal Wisdom, Yucca Valley, Calif. Director Van Tassel begins by saying that the space people are here to help us, but that we must show our willingness to accept their help. There is no source of authority on earth competent to 'straighten out this mess'. The air force should have our sympathy, rather than adverse criticism; they are under heavy pressure from all sides. But (says Director Van Tassel) "I know what President Eisenhower wants to do and I know he will have the courage to do it. When he does speak out we should flood Washington with letters of approval. This is not a party issue, or a national or a religious issue - it is an interplanetary one on which the existence of this civilization depends."

The BSR Director (and I think most of our Associates) agree emphatically with the last sentence quoted above. We have said this same thing many times and in many different ways. So too, with the remark about the lack of any competent earth authority.

If I mention a somewhat divergent point of view, it is in no spirit of controversy, and not derogatory to the College of Universal Wisdom or its sources of information. But we are all in this situation together, and it seems essential to consider ALL facts, and all alleged facts which seem probable or even possible. What we want is neither pessimism nor optimism, but right knowledge and understanding.

The situation concerning the aeroforms is very complex. There is reason to believe that our space visitors come from different regions and are of different races and kinds. They are not all at harmony among themselves. Their ethical and moral ideals may not correspond with ours. Their idea of the "good" may mean the good of solar system and the destruction of Terra. It is easy and natural to fasten on the words of communicators who encourage our wishful thinking - and to neglect many hints and warnings of an opposite sort.

It may be that some of the space people "are here to help us"; it is likely that many are here for other reasons also. It is also probable that a multitude of beings from etheric worlds have always been coming and going among us. None of these phenomena are essentially new. Etheric culture and civilization are centuries beyond our own - but to call these beings 'Angels' and 'Sons of God' is meaningless religionism. Perhaps on ground of public policy such soothing nostrums are justified - and all of us hope that hope will turn into fact. But there are still many people, about one-third awake, who would like to be thoroughly realistic if enough facts were available. Until they are (if ever) the reassurances of piety can hardly fill the gap. It is for such realists, and for scientists, and for every person of true scientific temperament that I am writing this.

Moreover, except to urge the necessity of prompt action (of some kind?), moral reform, social and political readjustments - a kind of death-bed repentance for the race which might save us even at the last gasp - the majority of these beings have nothing to suggest, and apparently no remedy in their own hands except to help in collecting the post-debacle fragments. What the human race really needs, of course, is a despotism - the despotism of an Archangel or demi-God, since no lesser being could qualify. If the tempo of evolution should suddenly increase, if the race became clairvoyant and clairaudient, if 'fit' and 'unfit' came to have new meanings and the Angel with the Sieve sorted out the latter for the cosmic dust-bins, then perhaps man might awaken from his hypnotic slumber with a new sense of values.

"And this reminds me", says friend realist, "of a classical gem of understatement. 'If the Pope should turn Presbyterian, great changes would take place'".

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SAUCER CONVENTION: Held at Giant Rock, Yucca Valley, California, on April 4, 1954. Associate Howard D. Clark attended, and sends us the following memo:

"At least 3500 persons came to Giant Rock, featured speakers in addition to George VanTassel, the host, being Orfeo Angelucci, George Williamson, Mr. Bethurum and Frank Scully. Scully, on crutches and a bit ailing, furnished "atmosphere" and pungent comment for the most part, but good. The others spoke in greatest detail in informal manner of the personal and radio contacts with UFO craft and personnel. Talks were long, complete and in charmingly free conversational style, with perfect public address system for the crowd scattered over the sand and up the cliff. No audience could have been more attentive. In the afternoon written questions were answered, originating from the audience.

"A few points: (These are no doubt covered in the writings of those men in their various books but were new to the audience....) *

"The space-people could and did read the mind of the radio operator in exchange of communications -- knew when he was several yards from the set and gave his time to reach it after their signal, but if he was already there, no signal - would start sending at once. In one case gave the answer to a discussion going on in the room, not taken up via radio at all.

"The space-ships hover above the earth - if they "landed" in solid contact with the earth, they would stay there.

"Earth people are the only ones who have wars, crime, disease, all due to our thought, attitudes, destructiveness, that we preach ethics but don't practice them. We will not gain advanced abilities until we can be trusted with them. "They" do not have elections, money, bosses, crime - their leaders are known by common consent - all can know each other's thoughts, no chance to hide or cheat, use tricks.

"The fireballs (one was seen by overnight campers at Giant Rock) are neutralizers sent to mop up radioactivity that would have been dangerous to us, not them. This is a form of guardianship being used. We have come dangerously close to destroying ourselves and damaging the etheric realm.....Much of the trend of the talk was so nearly parallel to BSRA data that you can see it would be repetitious. Papers and radio have stressed the silly side, to them, but I can say that visitors were impressed as few such miscellaneous audiences I have ever seen. Doubters of course, but not being so funny about it any more."

* Note: So far as psychic means have been employed, most of the BSR info. comes from the trance Controls of Mark Probert. They gave us the 4-D (etheric) explanation in 1946 and have never altered or retracted a word of it - nor have they needed to do so. .. But there has been no evidence in our files that the Discs are not able to make contact with the earth -- The ideal and utopian character of ALL other planes and people is NOT acceptable and has been specifically denied ... The function of SOME of the fireballs is as described -- We have been and are in danger, and have done much damage on the etheric levels... Otherwise the comments noted by Assoc. Clark above coincide fairly well with the BSR information.

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MISCELLANEOUS: New York City, N.Y.- March 27, 1954. A mysterious black ash fell over wide areas of the city today. New York officials could give no explanation for it, but there was a possibility a meadow fire in New Jersey might have been responsible.

Neither Police, Fire, nor Air Pollution Department officials knew of any fire in the area large enough to cause the ash.

Large black curls of ash drifted throughout the afternoon on breezy New York streets. They were unlike any soot or smoke condition seen here in recent years. --The Weather Bureau said it got a report from the Bronx that the ash had fallen there.

The Bureau said there was no pressure area which would make for abnormal showers of ash from powerhouses or incinerators.

The meadows fire at East Rutherford, N.J., sent billows of smoke drifting over a wide area.

The Newark Weather Bureau said during the afternoon winds ranging from 4 to 13 miles an hour were blowing from the west -- toward Manhattan. --- Credit Assoc. Edw. S. Schultz, 450 Colvin Ave., Buffalo 16, N.Y.

Dr. George Williamson

in VALOR . . . for April 3, 1954, has some instructive remarks about Saucers, and Palomar Observatory, and the Birmingham display. As to the first of these, a certain Palomar astronomer designated as Dr. W....remarked: "Adamski's not crazy and not a phony either....but if you think he has good photographs you should see what they've got on file here at Palomar!" Perhaps the time will come when astronomers will cease to regard themselves as a secret clan residing in the purlieus of pure science, remote from the world and accountable to no one. Perhaps! but probably not. As to the affaire Birmingham, Dr. Williamson tells us over 4,000 citizens watched a large cigar-shaped craft over the city for more than an hour; also, the object was circled for a long time by nearly forty planes. "At times the object would fade out, and then reappear" - which once again bears out our insistence that these craft are etheric constructs, and all can become "mutants" at the will of their operators. But the Birmingham daily papers know all and told all! It was only the reflection of light from the gas furnaces, and/or the light from a small private plane.

Also in this issue of VALOR, Editor Pelley goes aboard a Saucer - i.e., he editorially boards Truman Bethurum's Saucer, or Aura Rhane's Saucer; believes Mr. Bethurum's story all right, but (like most of us) can think of several hundred questions with no effort at all. To my mind he misses the most obvious one - that of all those nine visits of the Disc and interviews with the woman captain, none was witnessed by anybody else. The probable cause for this is simply that no 'dates' were ever made in advance, the Disc simply appeared from time to time, at night and in remote spots, and the visits were spaced out over many months. Any witness would have been obliged to keep near Mr. Bethurum every night. Nevertheless, if Mr. B. et al. could have cooperated the story would be less open to attack.

One might add, that comments concerning the "Christian" character of some of our visitors or their alleged homeland culture call for a raised eyebrow of suspicion. Deep suspicion, not unmixed with apprehension! If "Christian" refers only to the so-called Christian virtues of love and service, such information would be welcome. If it refers to dogmatics, theology, Churches and creeds and priestcraft - may the high Gods protect us from ills equal to our own. But maybe this is only talking down to us with intent to please -not the low-grade astral gabble which it too closely resembles.

Windshield Breakage Again: In a former issue of RR we published memo. from an Associate in England, concerning unexplained breaking of automobile wind screens. The trouble has lasted for several years and defied the most careful investigation. A note from Assoc. Edw.S. Schultz now calls attention to an article in LIFE magazine, current, 4-12-54, concerning a similar and serious outbreak at Bellingham, Wash. "Fifteen hundred cars and trucks damaged to date ... fantastic theories of materialistic cops and befuddled citizenry as to 'wot dunnit' - but no pellets found, no one killed or hurt... Is this a cosmic joke (inquires Assoc. ESS) or a rehearsal for something more significant and serious?... " - BRS would like to have first-hand reports on this.

CHIRURGIA is "a term used for a light touch technique used in making physical examinations of patients ... you search for deviations from normal tissue by the different rates of pulsation felt. Then the normal electrical balance is restored by certain connections made with the hands... Perhaps some of the BSR Associates may have information about this ..."

The foregoing inquiry comes from Dr. Jerrold J. Fenston, 6310 Meridian Ave., Seattle 3, Wash.- Please write to him direct.

Radio-Electronics Magazine for April '54; Article "Cosmic Generator".-Some of our more tolerant Associates regard this article goodnaturedly as a kind of futuristic science-fiction; others agree with Assoc. E.S.S. who remarks: "R-E should leave the scientifiction to the pulps and the jokes to Esquire and the Police Gazette. If R-E is that hard up for space-fillers it should fall back on crossword puzzles ... One has a right to expect only bonafide stuff in a magazine like R-E. " The BSR Hdqrs. slipped a couple of cogs and sent out a few quotes on this - whatever you think of it (if you receive one), don't take it seriously.

We continue to get excellent reports from users of the "Q-Energy Film" - a product developed by Originality House, Inc., Akron, Ohio. Full details about the nature and use of the film, for therapeutic and practical purposes, are contained in a small printed brochure, offered by BSR Hdqrs. @ \$1.00 (with sample of film).

The mimeo. book, "The Coming of the Guardians", announced by us for April 15, 1954, may be somewhat delayed due to illness of the mimeographer. Price \$2.00 as advertised, but we expect to issue 50 copies in a special binding and shall have to charge \$2.50 for these. The book consists mainly of statements made by the Mark Probert Controls (deep trance mediumship) concerning the aeroforms, during the years 1946-1954. It is very unusual material and should appeal to everyone familiar with this remarkable mediumship. Compiled by the BSR Director.

The BODY GRAPH booklets, by Dr. Charles Arthur Porter. We are in receipt of Nos. 1 & 2 of these. The Preface to booklet No. 1 states: "The purpose of this treatise is to add to what we may already know about our bodies and their functions. The 2nd booklet, FUNCTION, presents the factors which reveal how it is that behaviour is a result of structure, function, and nutrition. The third booklet is devoted especially to Nutrition." ... These studies are based on the findings of Dr. Achille Di Giovanni who spent a lifetime on the research. --- Address Dr. Porter at P.O. Box 778, Elsinore, Calif.